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Chairman Webber of the populist state committee seems to be the only

GEORGE B. TZSCHUCK.

Net average sales

The Lincoln Star has set the mark

populist in evidence in Nebraska just

boodler is cornered.

The republican plurality in Pennsylvania is a little less than 300,000. If that there are several member this could only be properly distributed it would turn half the solld south into the republican column.

The sum and substance of the river improvement meeting may be condensed into a sentence-if congress makes any appropriation for river bank work, we want a share of it.

Lewis Nixon's testimony in the Shiphe got into very bad company. People have to be very careful nowadays when they associate with multi-millionaires.

be read in the stars.

ground, Hurry it up.

What distresses the democrats hereabouts most is not the loss of the Lee Herdman is a private citizen.

President Stickney should be backed ap vigorously by our Omaha shippers in his refusal to rescind the grain rates he has made for traffic from Omaha to the east. As long as Mr. Stickney stands by Omaha, Omaha should stand ly him.

The night schools just opened by orsut with an unusually large attendance. surtailed.

mowed under by 20,000 plurality.

The United States Steel corporation promises to dispense with some of its party in refusing to heed the demand aigh-priced ornamental officials. These of those currency reformers who would men evidently failed to turn enough have the country return to the miscellaof their money back into the trust neous circulation before the war. The treasury when the generous offer was duty of the party is to give attention times its real value.

The World-Heraid now admits that and consequently are not urging curwo of the candidates nominated by the rency reform. lemocrats on its pretended nonpartisan ticket were thoroughly partisan repubticans. It will probably admit also that people to know that the newspapers at two of them were thoroughly partisan Lincoln, Fremont and other surrounding democrats and the rest willing to be- towns, which never lose an opportunity long to any party that would land them to knock Omaha enterprises, are alin a fudicial office. What becomes, | ready out with their hummers for the however, of its piteous pleas for non- proposed establishment of a grain mar- of their own in the field that will enperfect of the bush of the second

What is particularly gratifying in the perity for all Nebraska. Sun's review is its concession to Nebraska of the first place in the list of prosperous agricultural states for this year. "The lead," it says, "seems to be made so by Colombia's abandonment of bushels of corn, yielding \$100,000,000, be made permanent, by the United \$152,000,000." And it adds: "This is law, Prof. Woolsey, says that while that fortunate state \$142."

STATEMENT OF CHECKARO.

State of Nebraska, Douglas County, ss;

George B. Tzschuck, secretary of The Bee
Publishing Company, being duly sworn,
says that the actual number of full and
complete copies of The Daily Morning.
Evening and Sunday Bee printed during
the menth of October, 18-3, was as follows:

neath the surface. With the farmers

and if the great grain and wheat beit
of which Nebraska is near the center is
sound to the core, the dangers of stock
exchange speculation cannot go far beineath the surface. With the farmers
ation. The Colombian government sent

SIGHTING POLITICAL DANGER.

commercial interests and prominent any treaty or collection of Colombia. among the advocates of currency reform sees danger for the republican at 25,000 majority for Roosevelt in Ne- party if it shall neglect, at the coming the administration in New York and party to consider well whether it de- ama canal by this country is now assires to drive away the votes of inde- sured. pendent and thinking men." It adds It is quite natural that there should selling as usual, and the government will cinnati Enquirer; but they were all wrong. It would astonish and bewilder him to The blackmail and extortion stories from Cleveland's cabinets who have supported the republican candidates or have been silent during the last eight Panama long ago threatened to secode years, "who are likely to come to the if the canal treaty were not ratified. support of a conservative democrat if It is evident that for months they were the republican party deliberately ig- preparing for the revolt. Having been nores its solemn pledges in regard to our monetary system."

It would be interesting to know how numerous are the independent and building trust case is a confession that thinking men who believe there is any present necessity for currency legislation of the kind which this organ of the reformers advocates. How many such men are there who favor, for exhave met once more and wished each leading feature in the reform program? performance at reasonable intervals, the such is not large and that most of them portents of warlike conflict are sure to belong to the speculating and promoting classes. So far as the bankers of the country are concerned they are not urg-With the weather man favoring us ing any radical measures of currency is he is, a little extra pressure on the reform and generally they do not favor street repairing gang might eradicate an asset currency. The report of the the worst holes still left in our pave- committee of the American Bankers' ments before the snow covers the association recommended reform of the sub-treasury system, so that the revenues of the government from all sources shall be deposited in the banks and thus made available for use in the comsmices, but the horrible thought that munity; the repeal of the present limitathey will not know where to turn for tions of \$3,000,000 per month upon the sampaign contributions next year, when withdrawal of circulation, and an emergency circulation within careful limitations, "upon the actual deposit with the Treasury department of securities acceptable to the secretary of the treasury." In regard to asset currency the committee said it could not recommend "any step that will tend toward a return to the miscellaneous circulation which prevailed in the country before the war, or any step which will disreler of the school board are starting gard the history of finance among the commercial nations of the world, nor Ambition for an education should be can it recommend that any note should accouraged, especially in the people be issued without the certainty of its whose early opportunities have been redemption in standard coin of the United States." This was unqualifiedly endorsed by the association, as it un-The fusionists in this state showed doubtedly is by a very large majority heir wisdom in insisting that Judge of the bankers and substantial business sullivan make the race again for su- men throughout the country. The specpreme judge, although he knew in ad- ulators, and promoters in Wall street rance that he could not win out. Any and elsewhere will of course not ap-

There is no danger for the republican made to sell them steel stock at several solely to the requirements of the legitimate business interests and these are being at present adequately cared for

It may be interesting for Omaha

THE WEST WORTH CULTIVATING. patriots seem to be unable to get it into The Bee reproduces from the New their heads that anything that would York Sun a timely article reviewing build up Nebraska will redound to their the crop, situation in the west and calls benefit, and that the creation of a new attention to the fact that our unsym- grain market at Omaha cannot fail to pathetic farmers are so busy adding up prove of advantage to the producers in long columns of figures representing the the entire surrounding territory. Prosyields of their fertile acres that the perous farmers make prosperous towns doleful cries from Wall street go utterly and prosperous merchants. Prosperity the deleful cries from Wall street go utterly ual states for this year are amazing. The for Omaha is impossible without pros-

THE RECOGNITION OF PANAMA.

Panama is already a state de facto, held, safely enough by Nebraska with that portion of its territory, therefore its 45,000,000 bushels of wheat, which the recognition of the provisional gov- lights will probably follow the last addi- great enough to give each man, woman and should yield \$33,215,000; 222,420,000 ernment, which undoubtedly will soon probably \$18,581,000; a total of nearly The eminent authority on international money enough to give every resident of old states cannot aid insurrectionists without thereby engaging in war with Is it any wonder that, with these con- the parent state, "if the new community ditions at home, Nebraska should be has so far become independent that the comparatively unconcerned at reports parent state gives up endeavors to bring of shakiness in the eastern money mar- it back into subjection-if, in short, the kets? | The foundation of a nation's new state is without question a state de prosperity rests upon its food producers facto-they cannot, with any reason or and if the great grain and wheat belt propriety, refuse to concede to the com-

28,830 of this section so strongly fortified be- troops there, but they offered no oppohind crops which can be readily coined sition to the revolutionists and after ne-30,280 hind crops which can be readily comed at the mints into hundred-cent dellars gotiations withdrew, leaving the revothe importance of these western states lutionary element in undisputed con-38,715 in the world's business affairs must be trol. It was necessary that the repre-.32,820 correspondingly enhanced. The home sentatives of our government should be market is always regarded as the best able to transact current business and the stockholders in the French canal this year will be found in Nebraska and recognize the new government. The ef- France. farmer constitutes the most effective tion of an independent state having the Less unsoid and returned copies ... 10,258 present demand for all the standard power, when fully organized, to enter products of mill and factory, to say into international agreements and asnothing of having the money to pay sume the rights and obligations of such ... 29,763 their bills as soon as they become due, a state. The provisional government the world seems to look on Uncie Sam as and as a consequence the west should has announced that the republic of a sort of ambulance, commissary and dis-Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this sin day of October, A. D., be worth cultivating just now by the business interests of the entire country.

Bubscribed in my presence and sworn to be worth cultivating just now by the business interests of the entire country.

Bubscribed in my presence and sworn to be worth cultivating just now by the business interests of the entire country. that in regard to these there will be no issue or controversy between the new An eastern organ of financial and state and any other country respecting

Of course, our government will now matter and since the revolution was due | makes so many of them turn to him. braska in 1904. That certainly is session of congress, the currency to the rejection of the Hay-Herran question and fail to provide legis. treaty by the Colombian congress it is lation for increasing the supply of safe to say that there will be no diffi-With those who are already booming bank notes. That paper says that culty or delay in coming to terms. It porated a company with a capital of \$500,-Senator Hanna for the presidency it is rightly or wrongly President Roosevelt is probable that our government will 000,000 was arrested because he couldn't not that they love Hanna more, but is not a favorite with large financial interests, that there is disaffection with gard to indemnity, to Panama that are other promoters we have heard of. In his contained in the treaty negotiated with case the landlord suffered; in the case of The Missouri legislative boodiers are that "if this is not to spread to other Colombia, while as to sovereignty over others the public suffered. each trying to put the culpability for states and to create a tidal wave in the canal territory this will doubtless their crooked work upon the other. favor of a conservative democrat next be conceded to the United States. At That is always what happens when the year, then it behooves the republican all events the construction of the Pan-

> spired by the United States, but it must be remembered that the people of successful it is not to be doubted that they can rely upon the protection of this

RELIEF FOR OUR LAWMAKERS. Nebraska lawmakers, past, present and prospective, will heave a sigh of relief at the news that the state supreme court has affirmed the validity of the constitutional amendment adopted The Russian czar and German emperor ample, an asset currency, which is a in 1887 after a recount of the ballots by a legislative committee, by which ether peace. If they do not repeat this It is safe to say that the number of the pay of members of the legislature was increased from \$3 to \$5 a day and the remunerative part of the session extended from forty days to sixty days. No one familiar with the circumstances for a moment conceived the idea that any part of the excess stipend paid out of the state treasury for these intervening years would find its way back into the state house vaults even if the decision had gone the other way, but until a new amendment should have been adopted ratifying the salary increase the strain on outside interests represented in the legislative lobby might have expected to bear a correspondingly increased weight.

As a matter of fact, no taxpayer of Nebraska will begrudge the salary paid to be defended, a somwhat belated discovto members of the legislature as fixed ery. by the amended provision of the constitution, providing the service is honestly and conscientiously rendered and the money earned by standing up for the people as a whole rather than for the special interests which are constantly seeking favors and privileges at the expense of the public. The decision of tion materially as to the urgency of immediate constitutional revision with reference to the much-needed enlargement of the supreme court, the invest- the motte of President Roosevelt, as it was withheld "in a deliberate attempt to wreck ment of the school trust funds and the strait-tacket limitations on executive These defects ought to be tional amendments at the election next other candidate would have been prove it and it is this element which is year instead of deferment for a condisaffected with the national adminisstitutional convention, which is questial offenders who have belonged to his untutered west they sometimes lynched tionable at best and whose work could party. not be ratified and put into operation for another two years.

republican candidate on the judicial ticket in this district is more than 1,400 votes behind, while the low man on for the intoxication of victory, now find in of New Jersey have been so adroitly drawn the republican ticket, upon whom such the field of industry the outlet that once as to make practically everything legal a terrific onslaught was made by the was to be found only in the field of battle. a terrific onslaught was made by the democratic organ, is only 227 behind dazzies the people and throngs them about the picking of his pockets on a public the next republican candidate, against the victor, delirious in the glory of the thoroughfare. We may assume, therefore whom no personal fight was made. present, careless of the stability of the fu-These figures tell the story how the public questioned the good faith of the wanton attack in the local hyphenated.

The promise is made that next year Nebraska populista will have a ticket bloshe or street test to weath an eleval

Nebraska in the Lead

columns of figures-a task which employs various other products. nto their individual pockets.

are already negotiating with the plano This is money enough to give every resiagent, the sewing machine vender and the dent of that fortunate state \$142. Kansas is plano lamp man. Steam heat and electric a close second in the running. Its crops are

bushels of corn, yielding \$100,000,000, be made permanent, by the United to expect a corn crop worth on the farm corn, cotton, wheat and oats promise to and 53,000,000 bushels of oats, worth States is entirely legitimate and proper. a wheat crop worth \$492,000,000 and an oat the United states about \$33.

> up and be counted. The populists in this state have been working with watered stock so long that they have not the slightest idea what an inventory of their political assets would sum up.

> President Roosevelt's message to the extra session of congress will be short and deal with only one subject. The national legislation.

The French government is said to look without displeasure upon the developments of the Panama revolution. Any move that will improve the prospect of

Bumping Your Uncle.

China wants the United States to turn Russia out of Manchuria for it. In the

deal entirely with Panama in the canal utation for being a good fellow is what

A Cheap Promoter.

Minneapolis Journal. A New York promoter who had incor-

Brace Up and Look Pleasant.

Railroad Management Deficient.

The loss of life and mjury to limb on the railways of the United States proportionally exceeds that on the railways of any other country in the old or new world. We coast the most competent mechanics and the most enterprising capital, and railroad progress in the United States owes most to their combination, but American railway management is fundamentally deficient in a sense of the value of personal safety among both employes and passengers.

Mysterious Force of Nature.

Philadelphia Record. All that is known about sun spots is that their appearance is due to terrific disturbances in the solar photosphere and that they are coincident with magnetic storms in the terrestrial atmosphere. To say that the latter are caused by the former is a very loose way of stating the case. The two phenomenas are evidently connected, and both are probably caused by an identical and still undiscovered force of nature.

Keeping Out of Trouble.

Pittsburg Dispatch

Crooks Must Pay the Penalty. Chicago Tribune. will be inexpedient to approach the president with suggestions that it will be collically inexpedient to prosecute some man who has party friends who will take sale plunder," the receiver calls it. So far offense if he is called to an account for his as the Bethlehem Steel company is con-"Let no guilty man escape" is cerned, Mr. Smith says its earnings were of President Grant. Whether the offender the United States Shipbuilding company." against the government is republican or lemocrat, poor or rich, prominent or obscure, with or without friends, the course remedied at the earliest possible mo- of impartial justice will not be stayed. That reporters have a very harsh expression ment by the submission of constitu- is the highest expediency. No policy can with which they describe the transaction strengthen more the administration and the When a person obtains money under false party than that which the president is pursuing, of unearthing and punishing influen- he is frequently punished. In the wild and

Napoleons of Finance,

New York Son. The unsympathetic farmers of the west crop worth \$275,500,000. These total \$2,377, and south are so busy adding up long 500,000, and no account is taken of the

them far into the night these days-that. The crop records of some of the individunheeded. They are trying to puzzle out lead seems to be held safely enough by just how much of the \$2,500,000,000 that the Nebraska, with its 45,000,000 bushels of enormous crops promise to yield is going wheat, which should yield \$31,715,000; 221,-\$20,000 bushels of corn, yielding \$100,000,000, They have got so far along in their cal- and 50,000,000 bushels of oats, worth probculations that their wives and daughters ably \$18,581,60; a total of nearly \$152,000,000.

child within its borders \$115. The estimates show that it is reasonable The \$2,500,000,000 which these crops of

what he had heard of him he expected to

take a great fancy to him. I never saw

digger. He had been prominent in the sil-

never owned any stock in silver mines,

except in an old worthless one in Mexico,

and he supported Bryan because he be-

to subscribe heavily to the democratic cam-

even heard of Bryan before his nomina-

was sent for the mail and I instructed him

to inquire there if a nomination had been

made at Chicago. On his return he told

me that 'Bryant' had been nominated. He

did not ascertain where 'Bryant,' as he

called him, resided, and I thought the fel-

low was a fool; but later, when the St.

Louis and Chicago newspapers were re-

ceived. I found he was almost right. I

was for Bland of Missouri and hoped he

would be nominated, as I am a native of

Missouri and had known 'Silver Dick'

ARTISTIC GOLD BRICKS.

Those Handed Investors by the Mor-

gans and Schwabs.

Detroit Free Press.

In describing the organization of the

accountants, vary so much from the cor-

rect figures as "to impel the belief that

expresses doubt that these reports were

submitted at the organization of the com-

pany. The corporation was organized by

'dummy" stockholders, officers and direct-

tors. The statements made in the pros

pectus of June 14, 1903, were incorrect. For

property worth \$12,441,516 the company paid

in stock and bonds \$67,997,000-more than

five to one. The directors in acquiring

these properties thus gave away millions

in the stock and bonds of the trust, "whole-

When one esteemed citizen sells another

esteemed citizen a brass brick that mas-

querades as gold, the courts and the police

pretenses in the more commonplace ways

the enterprising individual who "salted" a

mine, and men have gained a bad reputa-

tion by selling property to which they had

no title. None of these offenses was com-

mitted by the promoters of the Shipbuild-

ing trust. While their methods seem

ization of the Shipbuilding trust have noth-

Sawmill Destroyed.

SOME BRYAN REMINISCENCES. People Whose Purses Opened While Under the Spell,

New York Commercial Advertiser The attempt of the widow of Philo S. Bennett and her attorney to show that Colonel William Jennings Bryan had a mesmeric influence over the late New York tea merchant brings to mind that the erstregular session will begin three weeks while democratic candidate for president later and the president will then have A. Creighton, a rich national bank presianother chance and doubtless go into dent of Omaha, was such a worshiper greater detail upon a variety of needed of Bryan that it is a well known fact that on the evening of the day Bryan was cominated at Chicago in 1896 he presented him with a check for \$5,000 with which to pay the expenses of himself and wife in

the campaign. Mr. Creighton, with his brother, built the overland telegraph, which was the basis of the comfortable fortune that he market is always regarded as the cost market for American manufacturers and there being no Colombian officials in company to get some of their money to enable Bryan to run for congress in the .31,160 the best part of the home market for Panama there was nothing to do but back will be looked on with favor in old Omaha-Lincoln district, which then had newspapers. We are informed therein that our earnest and hearty support of every Baltimore American,

rabinet

tion at Chicago.

since my youth."

rather than kind.

second race but for Creighton's money.

Indianapolis News.

Another crank has been arrested at the White House. This season's variety of cranks, so far as the returns show, are not ooking for trouble so much as they are fleeing from it. Maybe the president's rep-

so bad, after all. There will be buying and pile of John R. McLean, owner of the Cin- otherwise. lowing torches and wheezy brass bands may be on the sidewalks and upper windows, mournfully looking on, but trying to 'look pleasant."

Chicago Chronicle.

It is said that in a war with any naval ower of equal strength this country would find the insular possessions a very doubtful advantage-a truth that has been repeatedly expressed since the acquisition of the islands. The present excitement indiates that the jingo element has just disovered that while it is all right to have naval bases these isloated outposts have As a matter of fact and common sense there is no earthly reason why this ountry should be involved in any war between Russia and Japan or any other powers in the Orient. So long as we atend to our own business no one will

Engineering Magazine. "The flippant term 'Napoleon of Finance' embodies a fundamental truth. The same restlessness of conscious power, the same somewhat irregular, they were probably hungering for empire, the same craving not criminal. In fact the corporation laws And the same glamor of immediate success bagging of the prospective stockholder or ture. But the same law underlies all nature, and will not be denied. The overblown ing to fear from the law. They are finanbubble will burst-the overstretched fabric ciers, and financiers are privileged perwill break-the unstable structure will sons. They may be subjected to criticism fall." The analogy is plain. The American in the public prints, but hard words break leaders of finance, beginning with under-takings which had economic justification, but since, drunken with success, have expanded their campaign to the limits of

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Chicago Journal. We have received a characteristic com munication from one of New York's New York. We pledge to Mr. McClellar a republican majority of upward of 10,000; the eyes of the nation are fixed upon and Bryan really had no more idea of being Greater New York's forthcoming mulicielected than that he could fly. But that was pal election, and that no event of such may elect to condemn-may the lord have in 1899, and a big democratic landslide sent universal interest is scheduled for the imhim to Washington. Two years later he mediate future. We are given to underran again in the same district and pulled stand that, all over the country, the people through by the slim plurality of 140. He will be unable to go to sleep on the night would have been badly defeated in the of November 3 unless they have first heard whether fusion or Tammany has Another millionaire whom Bryan is said triumphed, and that we will be missing one of the great journalistic opportunities to have mesmerized in 1896 was Charles of the age if we fail to subscribe for an D. Lane of California, the owner of profitelaborate series of special bulletins and a able gold mines in California, Arizona, liberal allowance of general descriptive Alaska and British Columbia. On the way matter which our contemporary purposes to to Lincoln, just after the national silver send out on the occasion in question convention in St. Louis, which met there the same week that the crazy populists

The whole tone of the letter is amusingly illustrative of the New York viewassembled, Mr. Lane told the writer that point. Your true New Yorker has not a he had never met Bryan, but that from suspicion that there is anything of the slightest interest or importance outside of his own town. He labors under the imanyone more infatuated than was the gold pression that all those condemned to live Beyond its borders consume their time in ver gathering at St. Louis that indorsed longing to be there and that their atten-Bryan's candidacy. Lane claimed that he tion is chiefly occupied with its affairs. So far as the western hemisphere is concerned, his geography extends no further eastward than Sandy Hook and no furlieved in a double-money standard. That ther westward than Hoboken. A broadyear, in order to induce other millionaires brimmed hat would cover his horizon, and his idea is that the United States, of paign fund, it was announced in several of which he sometimes hears, is a series of the party organs that one man had given truck gardens in Jersey, where food is Cincinnati Enquirer. his check for a cool \$100,000. People got to raised for the residents of Manhattan

This is the time when the reflective citiguessing. Some said it was W. A. Clark, Island. The reason he believes that all. raised for the residents of Manhattan eyes are turned upon his election is that There will be something doing in that board in the fact that the other fellows are not tana. Others thought it came from the he cannot understand how it could be when Dan gets riled. He carries "a big

rs of Mr. be a belief that the revolution was ingo right on. In time the men who are folto spired by the United States, but it must lowing torches and wheezy brass bands leaked out after the election. Had Bryan on persons who constitute the remainder. been successful in that contest Lane would of the nation worry themselves about the very shocking-almost as shocking as the indoubtedly have been a member of his metropolis. He would not be able to credit not one in twenty of them is aware that city legislatures. Mr. Lane, while en route to Lincoln, also informed the writer that he had never he is about to vote for a mayor and councilmen. In short, he thinks his narrow dwelling is the whole plant, when, as a "While the convention matter of fact, it is merely the receiving was in session," said he, "I was inspecting room and cashier's office. But his some of my mining property in Arizona rochial outlook is so funny that we have miles from a railway station. An employe to forgive his incredible vanity.

AS THE SMOKE CLEARS AWAY.

the light of what Ohio has done the demo-

insignificance Atlanta Constitution (dem.): Altogether even if Tom Johnson is somewhere under Stephen A. Douglas. a glacier in Ohio.

Indianapolis News (ind.): Messrs. Grout and Fornes of New York, however, are feeling very comfortable today, thank you. Nothing gives a man such a chestiness as

to make a lucky guess. St. Louis Globe-Democrat (rep.): In his first senatorial fight Mr. Hanna had a struggle for a single vote in the legislature. In the second there will be scarcely enough democrats left to oppose a motion

United States Shipbuilding company as an to make it unanimous. "artistic swindle," Mr. James Smith, jr., Chicago Chronicle (dem.): The day after the receiver of the corporation, uses language that seems sufficiently qualified and the election your Uncle Thomas Platt had moderate. The methods by which these no hesitation in saying that Mayor-elect properties were "financed" are now gener- McClellan is an uncommonly fine young ally understood, and if there is a difference man. Thomas is still basking under the between this form of swindling and the blissful beams of the honeymoon and even gold brick form, it is a matter of size a victorious democrat looks well to him. Chicago Inter Ocean (rep.): "Golden

Mr. Smith asserts that the value of the Rule" Jones, after glancing over the elecplants, their earnings and the working tion returns, expressed the conviction that capital, given in the reports of expert the democratic party would never again elect a president. While there may be some ground for this belief, yet we are inthe figures were wilfully mis-stated." He clined to regard it as foolishly optimistic New York World (dem.): It was Mayor Low's misfortune to stand for re-election, a republican in a city democratic by more

NEW YORK'S INCREDIBLE VANITY. than 120,000 majority, at a time when party spirit could be successfully invoked. But he will retire at the end of his term bearing with him the respect and the gratitude of all good citizens.

New York Sun (rep.): Mr. George Brinton McClellan has been elected mayor of act of his administration of which we shall approve, and in respect to such acts as we mercy on Mr. McClellan's soul!

New York Tribune (rep.): It would be too much to say that New York is unfit for self-government. But it is the truth that there is no visible evidence of its fitness to govern itself in the triumph which Tammany Hall won Tuesday. The verdice is the more unsatisfactory because it was calmly and deliberately reached by the great jury of voters.

POLITICAL DRIFT.

Too much Johnson.

they're in it.

Ohlo stands pat. Can't help it. Oahu went republican. So did Wahoo. Big Bill Devery and Big Tom Johnson are too much for an ordinary tureen. Still,

It should be remembered that Bryan made no speeches in New York. He conversed two or three times in Ohio.

Some time in the future, perhaps, history will record the fact that there was once a democratic party in Pennsylvania. New York newspapers were evidently sin-

cere in their support of Seth Low, Edi-

torially they exhibit several sore upots. General Daniel E. Sickles is one of the newly elected aldermen in New York. wtick."

fact that the corporations themselves are his senses if he discovered the fact that largely responsible for the corruption of A Johnsonian orator in Cincinnati tried

to smash the record of Nebraska's champion long distance crator by talking eight hours and a quarter without pausing for drink or grub. The blast of hot air seems to have blistered the Johnsonian vote. Cincinnati went heavily republican.

Svivanus Merriman Stebbins of Riverside Mass., who was born April 4, 1817, has the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune (rep.): In proud record of having voted for every democratic candidate for president since he cratic flurry in New York is of comparative cast his first vote for Martin Van Buren in 1840. In 1860, when there were two democratic candidates for president, Mr. Stebit was not a bad day for the democrats- bins cast his vote for the "little giant,"



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